

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
LIDO:003

**In Re Application Of: Frank Dean**

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/611,521	July 8, 2000	TRUONG, DUC	1711

**Invention: Chelation Compositions**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of February 13, 2002 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month  Two months  Three months  Four months  Five months

from: February 13, 2002 *Date* until: August 13, 2002 *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27.

Is enclosed.  
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$460 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0807 if credit card charge cannot be executed.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0807 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Karen B. Iwai  
Signature

Dated: August 12, 2002

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on Aug 12, 2002 with the U.S. Postal Service as first-class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 via fax 703 872 9310

Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

**Karen B. Tripp**

cc: Frank Dean